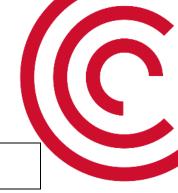
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# EU-Japan Healthcare Conference "United for saving lives"

- ◆ <u>Time:</u> **26.06.2025, 13:30 17:00** (door open from 13:00)
- Venue: Osaka, Grand Prince Hotel Osaka Bay, Sapphire Room, 2F https://www.princehotels.com/osakabay/map-direction/
- Language: English / Japanese (simultaneous translation)
- <u>Partners/supporters</u>: Embassy of the Republic of Poland in Tokyo, EU-Japan Centre for Industrial Cooperation, Delegation of the European Union to Japan, Osaka Prefectural Government, Japan Agency for Medical Research and Development (AMED)

#### PROGRAM

#### 13:30 -13:45 Welcome remarks

• Mr. Łukasz Gwiazdowski, Deputy Chairman of the Board Polish Investment and Trade Agency (PAIH)

- Mr. Paweł Milewski, Ambassador of the Republic of Poland in Japan
- Mr. Jean Eric-Paquet, Ambassador of the European Union to Japan
- Mr. Marek Kos, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Health, Poland
- Mr. Yasushi Ogasaka, Ph.D. Director, Department of International Strategy, Japan Agency for Medical Research and Development (AMED)

#### 13:45 – 14:00 Keynote speech 1

 Mr. Peter Burke T.D., Ireland Minister for Enterprise, Tourism and Employment Theme: <u>Europe's role as a source of innovation in the med-tech and pharma fields</u>

#### 14:00 – 14:15 Keynote speech 2

 Mr. Maksymilian Świniarski, CEO, TZF Polfa S.A. – Poland *Theme:* <u>EU's role in Securing Access to Critical Medicines: Strategic Autonomy, Resilient</u> Supply Chains, and Global Cooperation

# 14:15 – 15:00 Examples /offers of cooperation between EU and Japan in the healthcare field

• Mr. Tomasz Rutkowski, PhD, Research Scientist at RIKEN AIP, Tokyo, Japan

*Theme*: <u>RIKEN experiences and projects developed with the cooperation with European</u> <u>partners</u>

- Ms. Arita Dubņika, Assist. Prof., Dr.sc.ing., Institute of Biomaterials and Bioengineering, Faculty of Natural Sciences and Technology, Riga Technical University *Theme:* <u>Research and collaboration opportunities at Baltic Biomaterials Centre of</u> <u>Excellence</u>
  Prof. Katsuhiko Shirahige. Institute for Quantitative Biosciences. The University of Tokyo.
- Prof. Katsuhiko Shirahige, Institute for Quantitative Biosciences, The University of Tokyo, Department of Cell and Molecular Biology, Karolinska Institute

*Theme:* Innovating Chromatin Science for Precision Medicine: The UTokyo-KI LINK <u>Program</u>

15:00-15:15 Coffee break/networking

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## 15:15-15: 45 Pitching session

short pitches by European companies from EU countries and Japan WPD Pharmaceuticals, Biovalley, Biovico /POLAND/
Aerogen /IRELAND/
Bayer Yakuhin Ltd. /GERMANY-JAPAN/
INTA System /ITALY/
Tiger Health Technology, We love digi /BULGARIA/

## 15:45 – 16:25 Panel discussion

*Theme:* Emerging technologies in medical devices field and drug discovery research – how to collaborate and how to compete in order to improve people's health?

- Ms. Dagnija Loca, Associated Professor, Riga Technical University, Institute of General Chemical Engineering, Rudolfs Cimdins Riga Biomaterials Innovation and Development Centre (RTU ICGE RCRBIDC)
- Mr. Alvaro Rios Poveda, Executive Director, KAWATEK
- Mr. Artur Zaczyński, Head of the Humanitarian and Medical Aid Team (ZPHM) at the Chancellery of the Prime Minister, Head of the Neurosurgery Clinic of the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Administration, Poland
- Ms. Reiko Onodera, Board Member & Auditor, Alivexis, Inc.

Moderated by: Mr. Gerard Lipowski, Lipowski Consulting LLC

#### 16:25 – 16:30 Closing

- Ms. Urszula Demkov, Undersecretary of State, Ministry of Health, Poland
- Mr. Akihiro Nishino, Director, Life Sciences Industry Division, Department of Commerce, Industry and Labor, Osaka Prefectural Government

16:30 – 17:00 Networking (with light snacks and drinks)